

Traditional Service of Worship

13th Sunday after Pentecost

August 22, 2021 11:00 A.M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE Wood
What a Friend We Have in Jesus

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN No. 513
Soldiers of Christ, Arise

*CALL TO WORSHIP
(please join by reading the bold text)

Especially when the way forward looks challenging or intense,
Let us put on the whole armor of God.
When we are forced to confront obstacles or face the unknown
Let us clothe ourselves with the compassion and love of Christ
When we are tempted to shut down, back out, or simply turn away
because the path ahead is too much,
**Let us stand firm and be covered in the Good News of God’s
protection and peace.**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (APOSTLES’ CREED)
**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by
the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from
the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of
God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the
quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic
church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the
resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*GLORIA PATRI: No. 70
**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As
it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, World without
end. Amen. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING: John 10:11-16
LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE
After the children’s message, students (3rd grade and younger) are invited to
join Ms. Dakota on the playground for RiverKids.

ANTHEM Dorsey
Take My Hand, Precious Lord
Jada Allen, Mezzo Soprano

PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER
**Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy
kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us
this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we
forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and
the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS
Offerings can be placed in the sanctuary offering plates, brought or mailed to the
church office, or offered online (visit www.mywell.org/give/rpumc or use the QR
code on the back.)

OFFERTORY Wood
He Leadeth Me
Rich Lewis, Organ

*DOXOLOGY: No. 95
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*HYMN OF ILLUMINATION No. 526
What a Friend We Have in Jesus

SERMON & SCRIPTURE Ephesians 6:10-20
“Into the Thick of It: Ready...Set...”
Rev. Emily Knight

*HYMN OF DEDICATION: No. 374
Standing On the Promises

*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

- Riverside Park United Methodist Core Values
(i.e. Who are we? What will never ever change?)**
- Our common faith in Jesus Christ
 - The love and grace we experience in God (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)
 - The Word of God (importance of learning and reading the Bible)
 - Personal and spiritual growth through learning, gathering, and serving
 - A Spirit of loving warmth and hospitality
 - Our history and our roots
 - The gift of generations
 - Worshipping together as a community of faith
 - The recognition that we are in process: the mission and process of God
 - Our differences—and our willingness to wrestle with HOW we lovingly accept differences

Worship Attendance - August 15, 2021

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP - In Person	63
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP - Online	65
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP - In Person	45
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP - Online	30
TOTAL WORSHIP	193

Serving in Worship Today

Greeters 9am: Tami, Frankie and Cooper Crowell
and Tim Bush
Greeters 11am: Emily Rehberg, Harriet Thurgood, and
Julianne Kirchain

What’s Happening This Week? TODAY

Contemporary Worship: 9 am
Sunday School: 10:10 am ~ McCord Bldg.
Traditional Worship: 11 am

OTHER ACTIVITIES
Free To Go Dinner: Wednesday at 5:30 pm

The flowers on the altar are given by Terrie Lee
in memory of her son Clayton Lee.

Our wonderful CHANCEL CHOIR returns to worship next Sunday.
Please be present to welcome them back.

Especially if this is your first Sunday or first time in a while,
Welcome
to Riverside Park United Methodist Church!

9am CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

13th Sunday of Pentecost

August 22, 2021

9:00 a.m.

Gather with Song

Awake My Soul - Hillsong Worship

Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!

Scripture: John 10:11-16

I Will Follow - Chris Tomlin

Kid's Message

Following the children's message, our littlest disciples (preschoolers through 2nd grade) are invited to the playground for RiverKids. They will return to the sanctuary just before worship ends.

Announcements

- 5th Sunday Offering for Children's Home
- Special Offering for Haiti
- Parent Check-In on August 29th at 3pm

Prayer for One Another and the World

Offer Gifts to God

I Am Not Alone - Kari Jobe

Proclaim God's Word

Ephesians 6:10-20

"Into the Thick of It: Ready...Set...."

Rev. Emily Knight

Benediction and Sending

Child of Love - We the Kingdom

If you would like more information...

visit our website: www.riversideparkumc.com

or call the church office: (904) 355-5491



We offer masks for
any who need them

We respect
distancing

We sanitize
at every entrance

Offerings can be placed in the
sanctuary offering plates, mailed to
the church (819 Park St. Jacksonville
FL 32204) or given online using
"MyWell" (code to the right):
www.mywell.org/give/rpumc



**Special offering today
to support victims of the recent
earthquake in Haiti.**
United Methodist Committee On Relief
Advance #982450

Chancel Choir rehearsals resume August 25th!
The choir is open to all and loves new members.

Contact John Larsen for more information
j.larsen@riversideparkumc.com

5th Sunday Special Offering:
August 29th

Florida United Methodist
Children's Home



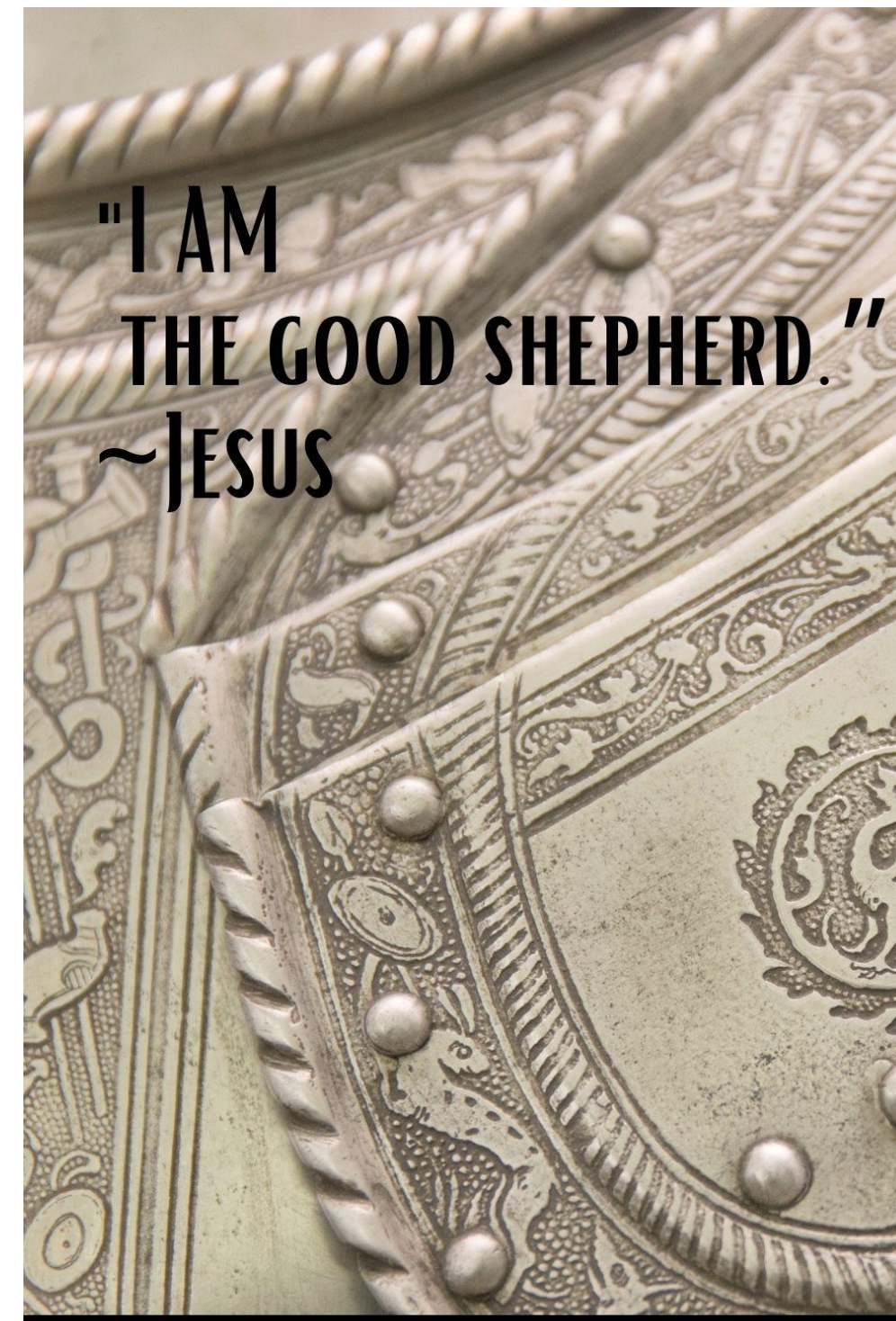
PARENT CHECK-IN:
SUNDAY, AUGUST 29TH @ 3PM
EMAIL [KIDS@RIVERSIDEPARKUMC.COM](mailto:kids@riversideparkumc.com)
FOR THE ZOOM LINK



COLLEGE AND YOUNG ADULT
FALL BOOK READING

Mondays at 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 13 - Oct. 25
via Zoom

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